

Baker overwhelms Glades Day

Baker has too many horses for the Gators to handle in state championship game. Story, photos on Page 9.

Jupiter spells it out

Glades Central hosts its annual invitational spelling bee. Jupiter walks away with top honors. Page 17.

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BELLE GLADE-PAHOKEE, FL.

The continuing story of 'Chief Charlie'



CHARLIE GOODLETT

By ELKE SCHWARZ

Charlie Goodlett, otherwise fondly known as "Chief Charlie", has done a lot for the Belle Glade community. After being chief of police for 32 years, he is currently serving his third term as city commissioner for the city of Belle Glade.

Goodlett grew up with four brothers and one sister on a farm in Cullman, Ala.

In 1937, Goodlett decided he had enough of farm life, so he and a friend rode the rails and hitchhiked to Winter Haven, Fla., where Goodlett worked in the orange groves.

Goodlett went back to Alabama twice before he decided to permanently reside in Belle Glade. So in 1939, he returned to Belle Glade, taking him two days to hitchhike from Birmingham to Belle Glade.

This time his interest was in construction. He worked for his uncle's construction company and did other odd jobs until he saw an opening for a building inspector for the city of Belle Glade in February 1948 and decided to apply.

"When I applied for the job, I was interviewed by N.D. Lloyd, the mayor of Belle Glade at the time, and he hired me," said Goodlett.

Goodlett said when he reported to work that following Monday, he was called in by Lloyd, who told him there was an opening in the police department and wanted him to work as a patrolman instead.

"I told Lloyd 'you got to be kidding'," Goodlett remembered. "I couldn't make it on a policeman's salary after being paid a construction worker's salary."

So Lloyd offered Goodlett the same salary that he would have made as a building inspector if he would join the police department.

Goodlett was told to "go home and think about it." He decided to accept the job.

Shortly after the 1948 October election, Goodlett was promoted to Belle Glade's chief of police.

"I had a lot of doubts about becoming chief of police," said Goodlett. "The first three years at

the police department I kept a diary. I wrote in it every evening about cases and events of the day. It got lost somehow, but if I had it I could sell it for several million dollars."

Goodlett says Belle Glade has changed a lot. "When I first came down here, the population was around 6,000 plus thousands of migrant workers," he said. "The major crop was green beans. Then in the late '40s sweet corn became popular and in the '60s sugar cane became a major crop," said Goodlett.

Goodlett also said he saw a great improvement in city government over the years.

"Back then we had one commissioner in charge of each department before we got a city manager in the early '50s," he said, adding that Henry Erwood was Belle Glade's first city manager.

Goodlett didn't have much to say about the 1960 CBS documentary "Harvest of Shame" which dealt primarily with migrant workers and their living conditions.

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"I had my windows up so of course the car floated long enough for everyone in town to see it. At my retirement party I was called Admiral Goodlett."

Walter Rashley resigns from Pahokee City Council

By PAUL EVANS

PAHOKEE-Commissioner Walter Rashley resigned from the commission on Tuesday, Dec. 11, to accept a position as Administrative Assistant to Palm Beach County Commissioner Ken Adams.

Rashley was recommended to the post by the mayor and various members of the community.

The commission also voted to slash \$95,000 from the lists submitted by department heads for funds from the revenue sharing proceeds.

Citing the strong possibility that 1984 may be the last year for revenue sharing funds, the commission determined to cut all unnecessary expenditures in order to slash the department requests down to the \$105,000 that the city actually has.

In other measures the city:

• Agreed to consider the possibility of allow-

ing Utilities Director Ed Balmer to buy a McIntosh computer to handle his department's record keeping. Commissioners agreed to meet at 1 p.m. Thursday with Balmer to discuss buying the computer.

Was advised by Jim Arnold of A.I. Roofing that only one of the various leaks in the city hall's new roof, only one is the responsibility of the roofing company.

The roofing company fixed all the leaks, but said some of the repairs were only temporary and caused mainly by holes in the walls.

• Agreed to give all employees a \$20 gift certificate for the holidays. Last year employees were given \$15 certificates.

• Was advised by the chief of police that a \$1,000 lawsuit was being instituted by an individual who said that his car was damaged while police were in the process of arresting him.



THE ANGELIC HOST, consisting of Christian Day School elementary children, presents a concert at the Dolly Hand Cultural Arts Center. Story on Page 2.

Christmas in the children's ward

By ELKE SCHWARZ

BELLE GLADE-It's no fun being sick, especially at Christmas, but the nursing staff at Glades General Hospital's pediatric ward is doing their best to spread Christmas cheer for the children kept in the hospital during the holiday season.

Nancy O'Neal, staff nurse at the children's ward, said that they somehow lost last year's Christmas decorations.

"One of the children's mother saw that we didn't have any decorations, so she went out and bought some," she said. "Then the hospital nurses started donating."

O'Neal said that when the children saw the decorations being put up, "they just started to pitch in and help."

The children's ward does have a Christmas party the week of Christmas, complete with Santa Claus and presents.

The presents passed out to the children by Santa are usually donated by local merchants. Last year, the gifts were donated by the Holiday Inn in Belle Glade.

Arlice Peaden, a welder at Stuart Farm Service in Pahokee, says this will be his third year for playing Santa Claus at Glades General.

"I do it primarily because I love to see kid's faces when they see Santa Claus," Peaden said. "I talk to them, hold them on my knee, and get down on the floor with them when I pass out the presents. I'm just a big kid at heart."

Peaden said that he always wanted to play Santa Claus.

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DECORATING the children's ward.

Murderer makes escape from GCI

By PAUL EVANS

BELLE GLADE--A 28-year-old inmate at the Glades County Jail, who was missing at the time of the prison grounds subsequently found a hole cut in the south fence recreation yard and a pair of side cutters along with a key, which gave the inmate an escape route.

According to Corrections officer Randell Music, a K9 specialist, the inmate was seen running away from the jail on Tuesday, Dec. 11.

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Don Thompson named conference coach of the year

By PAUL EVANS

PAHOKEE-Pahokee High School Head Football Coach Don Thompson has been elected by his peers as the Palm Beach Conference's Coach of the Year.

Conference members also chose 13 of Thompson's varsity players in the all conference team.

The Pahokee coach was surprised that he'd been chosen for the award and declined to take credit for the accomplishment.

"The Lord and my coaching staff did all the work," Thompson said. "I was just there to keep the boys in line."

Before the evening when the winner was to be chosen, Thompson says he never entertained the idea that he might be the one. "I wouldn't even dream of such a thing" he said.

"Then when everyone started talking about who they were going to vote for. It was really an honor," he said.

Thompson started his career as a football player at Pahokee High School in the late 1950s. Before becoming a football player, he was a migrant worker, traveling from Florida, to Michigan, to Arkansas and back to Florida picking cotton. In high school, he met football

coach Webb Pell. Pell opened doors for Thompson, helped him deal with his parent's divorce. He became an example for Thompson to follow, and football became an avenue that helped him succeed.

After high school, Thompson attended the Citadel in Charleston, S.C.

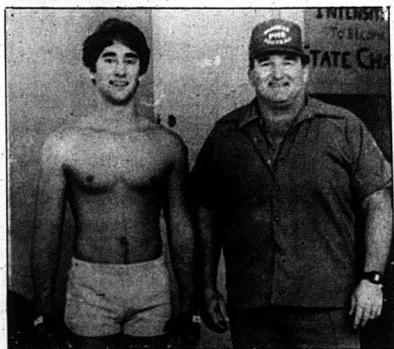
During his junior year, Citadel won the Southern Conference title. In his senior year he transferred to the University of Arkansas on a football scholarship, where his team won the Southwestern Conference title.

During that year, he also received his Bachelor's degree in Education. Armed with that, he went back to Pahokee, married Alice Elaine Hurt, the daughter of the town ice man, and went to work as an assistant football coach at Pahokee High School from 1964 until 1970.

His dream, during those years, was to be a head coach. Around 1970, he came to the conclusion that that wasn't going to happen, so he resigned and began looking for another job.

His first stop was Daytona Beach, where he took an assistant coaching job at Mainland High School. Before his first year was up though, racial tensions erupted, and the entire coaching staff resigned.

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DON THOMPSON with his son Pell.

Society

Handbell Choir performance set

By PAULEVANS
BELLE GLADE-It's Christmas time in the city, again, but those aren't silver bells they're playing.
They are brass, and they are played by the Handbell Choir of the Community United Methodist Church at 401, S.W. 1st Ave.
The Choir, currently under the direction of Mrs. Becky Watson, has performed year round for the past five years, and puts on special shows during the holidays.
"We're kind of a novice group," alternate handbell player and Chancel Community Choir Director Carol Schmidt says.
"Some of the larger groups have people who play three or four bells at the same time. We can't quite do that, but some of our members can put down one bell and pick up a different sized one very fast," she said.
The bells, made by Schulmerich Carillons, Inc. in Pennsylvania, are expensive and very delicate.
The money to buy them was raised by Memorials and by money raised by the Methodist Women.
The 40 member Chancel Choir, under the direction of Carol Schmidt, and the Handbell Choir, will perform John Lee's "At His Coming," with the Chancel Choir, of the First United Methodist Church of Pahokee at the Methodist Church in Belle Glade on Sunday, Dec. 16, at 7:30 p.m.
The Chancel Choir will perform again at the Pahokee Methodist Church on Dec. 19 at 7:30 p.m.
The Handbell Choir will perform at the Community United Methodist Church Candlelight Service with the Children's Choir on Sunday, Dec. 23, at 7:30 p.m.



BRASS BELLS of the Methodist choir.

Staff photo by Paul Evans

Nelson - Moore plans announced

BELLE GLADE-Bernestine Lavette Nelson and Albert Moore, Jr. will exchange wedding vows Saturday, Dec. 15, at 4:30 p.m. at the New Bethel Baptist Church, Ave. A, Belle Glade.
The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nelson, Sr. of S.W. 8th Street, Belle Glade.
She was graduated from Glades Central High School and is a Realistic Cosmetologist School Unit 25 and is employed at La Brina's Beauty Salon in Belle Glade.
The groom-elect is the son of Mrs. Mary Moore of Hibiscut Court, South Bay. He was graduated from Glades Central High School and is employed at Glades Correctional Center, but due to booking problems, has been moved.
A reception will be held at the Lake Shore Civic Center. The are being sent. Friends reception was schedul and family of the coued for the Belle Glade ple are invited to at Municipal Civic tend.

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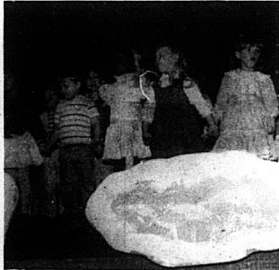
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THE CDS Kindergarten sings "Hosonna."

CDS children present Christmas concert

BELLE GLADE-The elementary students at Christian Day School had their annual Christmas program, Tuesday, Dec. 11 at the Dolly Hand Cultural Arts Center.
The play was titled "Hark the Herald Angel".
The musical directors were Dollie Penuel and Lola Brewer. The welcome was given by sixth grade teacher Karen Phillips. Invocation was given by Rev. David Taylor.
Tradition and religious Christmas music was sung by the kindergarten class. The choir director was Barbara Fabelo.
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CDS star student selected

BELLE GLADE-Zoila Ruiz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Celestino Ruiz of Belle Glade, has been announced as star student for the month of December at Christian Day School.
Ruiz is a senior at Christian Day and a varsity cheerleader.
She is secretary of the senior class and is a member of the Chrusader Choir, the Key Club and the National Honor Society.
Ruiz plans to attend college and pursue a career in law or accounting.
"The teachers are caring and understanding and I feel well prepared for life," she added.
"Christian Day School has really contributed to my education and has also helped me grow in a good atmosphere," Ruiz said.

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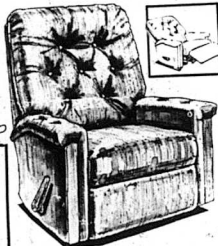
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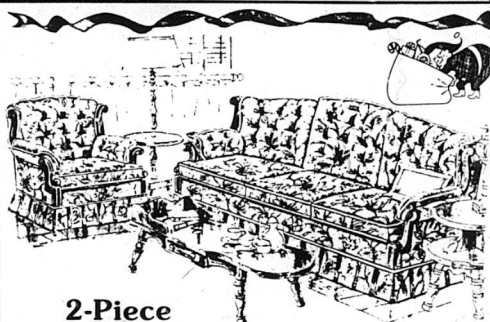


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Editorial

Reflections after the long drive home

By ELKE SCHWARZ

It was a long ride up to Baker for the State playoff game between the Baker Gators and the Glades Day Gators.

I had my doubts of ever getting up there, especially when our bus driver took the wrong turn on State Road 441 in Pahokee and almost drove into Lake Okechobee.

We were all very anxious to get up to Baker and the last miles were the longest. We passed the time by firing up for the game by yelling Gator cheers.

Finally, after 11 hours, five rest stops, and 537 miles, we arrived in Baker. Actually, during the day it wasn't as cold as everybody said it would be, it was the night that was the killer.

Being a born and bred Hoosier, I should be used to the cold. I must be out of practice because I froze along with everyone else at the game that night. I even took a warm bath before the game and wore two pairs of everything and I still froze.

Naturally, I wanted to know how Florida people would stay warm during the game.

"Cheer and jump a lot," was one comment. "Bring all your South Florida ski stuff," was another.

"Even if it's cold the spirit's hot. Gator fever warms the soul," was the comment of a true Gator fan.

Well, all of Glades Day's "Gator fever" couldn't help the team that night.

I couldn't believe my eyes when I saw the Baker Gators run out onto the field. I never saw such mooses in my life. There was no way in the world our team was going to win, but that didn't stop them from playing valiantly. Glades Day Gators, I applaud you.

I was amazed at how many Glades Day fans were present. There were only 18 people on the fan bus, but at the game there were over 100 people who either drove or flew 537 miles to cheer for our team.

These people never stopped cheering, even when they knew Glades Day couldn't catch up with Baker. Now that's what I call support.

Head coach, Byron Walker, defense coach Mandy Perez, and offense coach Dick Schmidt all did an outstanding job with the team this year. Keep it up.

For me, this weekend was not a complete loss.

I had never been to a state playoff football game before and I was introduced to the Florida version of the Twelve Days of Christmas, complete with "11 alligators sunning" to a "pelican in an orange tree."

The Florida hospitality was great too.

All I can say is thanks for a good weekend and don't feel bad about losing the game.

Hey, it's not every school team that gets to play the same team for the state title four times in five years.

Don't worry, we'll get 'em next year.

Letter

Editor:

I am very pleased to share with you the following information concerning the fourth annual President's Volunteer Action Awards, a program created in 1982 to recognize outstanding American volunteers for their contributions in their communities and to call public attention to what can be accomplished through voluntary action. The program is co-sponsored by VOLUNTEER, The National Center and ACTION, the federal volunteer agency, in cooperation with the White House Office of Private Sector Initiatives.

The President will present the awards at a White House ceremony the week of April 15-19. Volunteers and volunteer groups working in arts and humanities, and environment, education, health, human services, international, labor, material resources, mobilization of volunteers, public safety and the workplace. A new category, youth volunteering, has been added to the 1985 program.

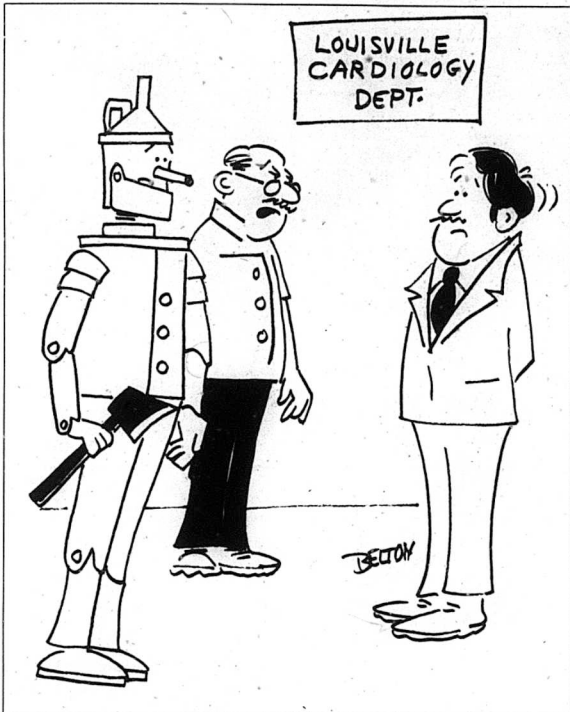
It is very important that the award recipients reflect the diversity inherent in America's volunteer community. It is because of the close ties that each of you maintains with the community that I am

calling your attention to this program and asking your help in identifying those volunteers and groups worthy of Presidential recognition and national attention.

President Reagan presented the 1984 awards at a White House luncheon on May 7. Later that day the award winners were honored at a reception in Capitol Hill hosted by Senator David Durenberger, a member of the VOLUNTEER'S Board of Directors. While they were in Washington, they also attended a special dinner at which Secretary of Commerce Malcolm Baldrige spoke, visited with their Senators and Congressman and were treated to a tour of Washington.

For further information regarding this program, and to receive application forms, please contact: VOLUNTEER, The National Center, 1111 North 19th Street, Suite 500, Arlington, Virginia 22209 (703)276-0542. Attention: Kathy.

I'm sure that your assistance, Florida will be well recognized in Washington during the 1985 President's Volunteer Action Awards. Any publicity you could add to this effort would be greatly appreciated. Sincerely, Tom Lewis, Member of Congress



Community calendar of events

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13

Christian Businessmen's Fellowship-6:30 a.m. at the Belle Glade Motor Inn.
Belle Glade Business and Professional Women-7:30 p.m. City hall.
Pahokee Rotary Club-noon at the Elks Lodge.
Youth Advisory Council-7:30 p.m. at South Bay City Hall. Drug abuse film to be shown.
Belle Glade Civitan Club-7:30 a.m. at the Belle Glade Motor Inn.
Elks-8 p.m. at the Pahokee Elks Lodge.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17

Pahokee Lion Club-noon, Lions Clubhouse.
Belle Glade Housing Authority-8 p.m. Housing Authority board room.
Free Cardiovascular Screening Clinic-9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. in the Professional wing of Glades General Hospital.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18

Pahokee Lion's Club-12:15 p.m. at the Lake Glade Motor Inn.
South Bay City Commission-8 p.m. City hall

NOAH - 7:30 p.m. at the Haitian Catholic Center, 300 West Canal Street.

Belle Glade Housing Authority-8 p.m. Housing Authority board room.
Free Cardiovascular Screening Clinic-9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. in the Professional wing of Glades General Hospital.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19

Belle Glade Lions Club-12:15 p.m., Municipal Civic Center.
Fire talk-7:30 p.m. The Baha'is of Belle Glade talk on Baha' Faith at the home of Patricia Meier, 801 N.W. 4th Street. For more information call 1-800-594BAHA'1.

A Christful Christmas

December is get ready time—shopping, buying, decorating, wrapping, baking, and cleaning. Christmas is coming!

December can be the time of year for building a road in Florida, but not up north. The ground is hard and many times frozen, and it is too cold to pour concrete or put down asphalt.

Isaiah the prophet calls us to get ready to prepare the way for the Lord. The mountains are to be leveled and crooked places made straight. The time doesn't seem right to be doing this, what with the weather and all the other things we have to do. Let us look further.

It is significant that Isaiah speaks first of a voice crying in the wilderness. He was the prophet who spoke words of hope to children of Israel in captivity in Babylon.

John the Baptist was also a voice in the wilderness. He was in the very rugged country on the east side of Jordan. However, the implication seems to be more than a physical wilderness.

In November 1942, the writer was in Pennsylvania Station in New York City. There were thousands of people around but he knew no one. The heart of the largest city seemed to be a wilderness and lonely.

A suburb with row after row of streets with neat houses may be a wilderness to a young mother from another city. Or a large apartment house with many people jammed together can be a wilderness to a single secretary.

What about the woman who drove her car into a lake? She couldn't swim so she climbed on the top of the car and there she drowned as the car sank with a crowd of people looking on. Or the crowd who yelled "jump" to the man on the ledge.

The wilderness may be surrounded with people or it may be the mind overwhelmed by problems. The Voice may be yours crying out for help or to give direction.

Have you ever felt you could see the need for a change? Have you wanted to shout out all that we are doing is a bunch of trash or that we are spinning our wheels? Now before it is too late let us get ready for the one real thing!

Isaiah and John seem to be saying that the life about them was only a cheap facade and that an about-face was needed. They could say that religious life was based not on love of God but legalized, mechanical approach to fulfill-

Dr. David T. Evans

Everglades Presbyterian Church



ment of many man-made requirements.

Listen again now to the voice crying, "Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight." Can we see the need to prepare for the Lord's coming? It is the time to get ready. The coming is really the consummation of God's rescue of us. It is also the basis of true giving. God is giving to us, so that we can learn to be giving.

All about us today we can see these symbols of giving. The evergreen wreath denotes eternal life promised by God. The red symbolizes the blood of Christ shed that we might be complete. The candles point toward Christ, the light of the world. All of these and more are gifts of God to the world.

The giving out of love enables us to live for others rather than for ourselves. In this we are freed for greater things. Our vision is broader and our hearts are more open; enabling us to take advantage of the opportunities for service.

Getting ready for the King reminds us for the children's song, "Santa Claus is Coming to Town." The words say something like, "You better be good, etc," because "Santa is coming to town." For a motive higher than gifts we ought to eliminate the evil from our life by doing more good.

The final part of Isaiah's message quoted by John says, "Make His path straight." In olden days when the King came the roads were leveled and straightened to make the trip easier and to show proper respect for His sovereignty.

The way of Christ is to be prepared by His subjects. The word of God has a lot more effect if the hearer is prepared. We are not alone but are given direction and aid by the Holy Spirit. Let the light of the candles and the lights guide you to bring others to the Christ Child.

Christmas trees are a reminder of God's eternal love given in His Son Jesus. May this be a Christful Christmas.

A look back through our back issues

60 YEARS AGO
THE EVERGLADES NEWS
DECEMBER 12, 1924

Preparations by the Florida Sugar and Food Products Company for the grinding season were not stopped by the high water and the mill a mile east of Canal Point was being put into condition to begin.

S.J. Fisher shipped 2400 hampers of beans in the previous week. The bean prices were good and there was a large area of high ground land in South Bay that was planted.

State Road 8, known as Conner's Highway was to open with ceremonies befitting the linking of two great coastal sections and cross-state highway.

50 YEARS AGO
THE EVERGLADES NEWS
DECEMBER 14, 1934

Vegetable crops in the Lake Okechobee region were completely devastated by the coldest weather on record that week.

Bean prices soared overnight as a result of the freeze and other produce rose in price as well. All crops that had been planted were destroyed and new crops had to be planted.

The Everglades News ran a picture of Charles "Pretty Boy" Floyd, "notorious Oklahoma badman and public enemy. Cornered like a rat, Floyd had no chance to make one of the miraculous escapes for which he is notorious," the story read.

40 YEARS AGO
THE EVERGLADES NEWS
DECEMBER 8, 1944

A former Glades editor was killed in action on the Western Front. Mrs. Luther Jones of Belle Glade received word that her brother, Jimmy Howington had been killed.

Howington had been editor of the Belle Glade Herald before enlisting.

Part of the equipment and material necessary for the construction of the Pahokee dock was moved to the Pahokee waterfront by Don Hillier and Sons, contractor, preparing for starting work.

Development of two airfields at Belle Glade Continued on 5

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- ✓No poetry, please.

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Commission agrees to help NOAH find land

By PAUL EVANS

BELLE GLADE—The city commission agreed on Monday, Dec. 10, to sit down and discuss possible new arrangements with the country club vendor and to help Neighbors Organized for Adequate Housing (NOAH) find a location for a prefabricated house.

Part of the evening's agenda included a letter dated Nov. 14 from William B. Cowart, the vendor operating the city owned country club on the grounds of the golf course.

In the letter, Cowart stated his intentions of leaving after his lease expires at the end of March.

Mayor Altman stated that Cowart's reason for not renewing the lease was that contractual agreements are creating excessive overhead and cancelling out any potential profit.

Those agreements state that the country club must serve three meals a day, seven days a week.

"Beyond the restrictions of the beverage license, can we make it (the lease agreement) more palatable," Altman asked.

"We had a tenant we didn't charge rent, and that didn't work. We had a tenant who would not collect rent from and that didn't work. Now we have a tenant who pays rent and that doesn't work."

Under Altman's advice, the commission instructed the city manager and the city attorney to sit down with Cowart and try to work out an arrangement that would possibly keep him here and ease the contractual agreements so that the country club could begin to show a profit.

Council members also listened to a request from NOAH representative, Sister Pat Downs, to help her find a small plot of land for a new, prefabricated house which had been donated to NOAH by the County Community Development Council.

NOAH had approached various land owners in the community, but had been unsuccessful because proprietors either wouldn't sell, or were asking as much as twice the appraised value of the land. Downs said that there was land available within the city, but that NOAH could not place a prefabricated house there

because the land was in the city's fire lane. Only CBS construction is allowed in the fire lane. Altman asked if something could be done to change that rule.

The city attorney replied that the fire chief had recommended that the fire lane be abolished but that the commission could not just summarily reject or bypass it.

It was then determined that there was land available on 6th avenue, and Commissioner Bythwood offered to meet with the proprietors and attempt to convince them to sell the land to NOAH at a reasonable price.

"Our problem is not the money," Downs said, "we have the money, it's the land."

Downs said that NOAH would lose the house if it is not moved from its present position in Pahokee within one to two weeks.

There is the possibility of jacking the house up and storing it somewhere until property is found, but Downs said that the cost of such an endeavor would be prohibitive to NOAH.

In a somewhat emotional issue, Mrs. Nancy Creech approached the council and said that elementary school children leaving school are abusive and caused so much trouble in the past eight years, that she was finally forced to move.

She said that she came to the council because something needed to be said.

"I've taken care of them," Creech said, "I've stopped fights, I even spanked one of them once. Then the police came by and said I didn't have the right."

Creech suggested that a new sidewalk being planned for the neighborhood would only make the situation worse. She suggested rerouting the children so that they would have to cross a large bridge to get home.

The chief of police stated that police are working with school security to solve the problem. Commissioner Bythwood, who had talked to Creech earlier, said that the school is liable for the children, and therefore would not reroute them because of the danger that someone might fall in the canal.

However, Bythwood said that the city, police and the school are already working on the situation and that solutions include staggering the time the children are released, increasing security, and having teachers supervise the children until they leave the area.

"Children will be children," Bythwood said. In other matters the city.

*Agreed to pay a bill of \$51,219.75 to

A look back—

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at a cost of \$573,000 and one at Pahokee for \$351,000 was agreed as part of the post-war program for the area by the Civil Aeronautics Administration.

W.E.D. Contractors for a pollution control facility, and agreed to pay \$33,046.28 to Briley, Wild and Associates, Inc. and \$4,520 to the Three V's International Corp. for final payment of the city's new Arrowhead Pump Station and Force Main.

*Accepted a bid of \$12,745 from Carter Electric of Belle Glade for the electrical wiring of 26 camp sites at the Marina camp across from "Slim's Fish Camp."

*Accepted a bid of \$17,000 from Industrial Refuse Sales of Lakeland Florida for dump (dumpsters) containers for the sanitation department.

*Accepted a proposal of \$14 per 1,000 tons to dispose of the city's treated sludge. The contract would be for one year and the city would have the option of renewing it for another year at the same rate.

*Turned down a request from Malcolm C. Collins for the city to develop and issue an occupational licence to operate a flea market

(swap shop, farmer's market).

Mayor Altman stated that the city had turned down similar proposals in the past because dealers often dealt in stolen goods, and that dissatisfied customers did not have the option of returning defective goods, the way they would with more permanent businesses.

*Appointed Gladys Ganzy to the Community Steering Committee for the Surplus Food Program. Congratulated City Planner Remar Harvin for being named the Board Member of the Year by the Association for Retarded Citizens, and accepted a plaque presented to the commission from that organization.

*Cancelled the Dec. 24 commission meeting.

<p>LAKE Drive In Theater</p> <p>Belle Glade, FL 996-6659</p> <p>Begins Fri., Dec. 14 thru Tues., Dec. 18</p> <p>MISSING IN ACTION</p> <p>— Starring —</p> <p>CHUCK NORRIS</p> <p>(In Color) (R)</p> <p>— ALSO —</p> <p>REVENGE OF THE NINJA</p> <p>— Starring —</p> <p>SPECIAL CAST (In Color) (R)</p>	<p>LAKE Drive In Theater</p> <p>Belle Glade, FL 996-6659</p> <p>Begins Wed., Dec. 19 thru Thurs., Dec. 20</p> <p>TIERRA SANGRIENTA</p> <p>— Starring —</p> <p>ELIZABETH D. ARMANDA</p> <p>— ALSO —</p> <p>ABORTO, CANTO A LA VIDA</p> <p>— Starring —</p> <p>CHELO Y YENNI</p>
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Obituaries

ETTERAG H. HALUM

Etterag H. Halum, one and a half year old daughter of Halum and Sakiba (Rajeh) Halum died Dec. 9 at Everglades Memorial Hospital after a lingering illness.

Besides her parents, she is survived by one brother Hakin Halum, the family resides at 618 South Main Street, Belle Glade.

Services were held at the Mixson Funeral Chapel with internment following at the Everglades Gardens in Belle Glade.

Mixson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

RUBY H. JONES

Ruby H. Jones, 84, of 881 S.E. Third St., Belle Glade, died Dec. 9 at Everglades Memorial Hospital in Pahokee after a lingering illness.

She was a native of Hall County, Georgia, the daughter of the late Henry and Clara Howard Jones. Mrs. Jones came to Belle Glade 53 years ago from Atlanta, Georgia.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Belle Glade, a member of the Fidelity Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church, Past Master flower show judge of the Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, honorary member of the Belle Glade Garden

Study Clubs.

She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, Belle Glade Chapter 197, served as past president of the Belle Glade Woman's Club of Belle Glade from 1943 until 1945. She joined the Woman's Club in 1932. During her term as president, she was instrumental in the fund raising to buy a piano that entertained many World War II service personnel at Emory Riddle Field at Clewiston.

Her husband, the late Luther W. Jones, past owner of The Belle Glade Herald, preceded her in death in June, 1966.

Survivors include one son, Luther W. Jones, Jr. of Belle Glade; two sisters, Ellen Enis of Atlanta, Ga. and Elsie Beane of Sanford, Fl.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church in Belle Glade Dec. 12, with the Rev. Robert Atkins, pastor officiating.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church in Belle Glade Dec. 12, with the Rev. Robert Atkins, pastor officiating. Pallbearers for Mrs. Jones included Charles Cox, Joe Guerry, Billy Ray Evans, Dickie Gray, Paul Teague, and Elgie Johnson.

Entombment followed at the Everglades Mausoleum Gardens in Belle Glade. Mixson Funeral Home in Belle Glade was in charge of arrangements.

MARY ELIZABETH BRIELLING

Mary Elizabeth Brielling, 80, of Lake Harbor, died Dec. 8 at Hendry General Hospital in Clewiston.

She was a native of Alabama, and a resident of Perry, Florida for 20 years. She had been a resident of Lake Harbor for the past three years, and was a homemaker.

She is survived by her son, Ronnie Brielling of Woodland, Oklahoma; her grandson, Bucky Hood of Clewiston; her granddaughter, Jackie Young of Lake Harbor; and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 11, at Ridgeland Cemetery with Reverend Dennis Postell officiating. Interment followed.

Akin-Davis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

GLADYS RUTH "BOBBIE" GUTHRIE

Gladys Ruth "Bobbie" Guthrie, 64, of 420 East Obispo Avenue, Clewiston, died Tuesday, Dec. 11 in the Hendry General Hospital, Clewiston.

Mrs. Guthrie was born in Jacksonville, Florida, Oct. 21, 1920, daughter of the late Walter and Ruth

Knight Danson. Mrs. Guthrie came to Pahokee as a child and spent the greater part of her life here. She had been a resident of Clewiston since 1976, having moved there from Fort Myers. She was a member of the Lutheran Church.

Survivors include her husband, James Guthrie of Clewiston, a son, Samuel McKinstry III of Itabema, Mississippi, two daughters, Penny Ward of Indian town and Margo Harris of Fort Myers, two brothers, Gene Danson and Donald Danson both of Jacksonville, a sister, Sybil Widdows of Miami, four grandchildren, Ryan, Tiffany, and Samuel Clin-

ton Ward all of Indian town, and Jason Harris of Fort Myers.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 10 a.m. in the Chapel of the Wetherington Funeral Home. The Rev. James A Bennett will officiate. Inter-

ment will follow in Port Mayaca Memorial Park.

Friends may call at the funeral home after one o'clock Thursday. Wetherington Funeral Home of Pahokee has charge of the arrangements.

Equal opportunity commission to visit

SOUTH BAY Melanese Mason, a representative for the United States Commission for Equal Opportunity will be in the area Dec. 19 and 20.

Mason will be at the South Bay Community Action Council, 628 Palm Beach Road, South Bay from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

He will be available to discuss any problems of discrimination against employers with the public.

Worship center to have services

The Worship Center, 1829 West Canal Street, Belle Glade, will be observing special services, Sunday, Dec. 16.

The congregation will be able to hear Rev. Jimmy Swaggart, via satellite, during the morning services starting at 11 a.m. and again at 7 p.m.

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Please be assured that we realize that without your help, prayers, and consolation, regardless of how great or small, we would not have been able to make it through those troubled times. During those prolific times, we constantly paused to give thanks to the Almighty God for living in a community like Belle Glade.

Our hearts are filled with gratitude and sincere appreciation for the overwhelming outpour of love and understanding showered upon us.

Words have not been enough or inscribed upon the scroll of time to say how we really feel. Therefore, since the King's Language fails us at this time, and our emotions are most inadequate to express how we really feel, we shall have to simply say THANK YOU.

A special thanks is extended to the Police and Sheriff's Departments, Radio and T.V. staffs, and all newspaper staffs for your excellent coverage. Your cooperation was a demonstration of in-

dustrious, excellent types of individuals.

Our family shall remain forever grateful to The Reverend Dr. J.B. Adams and the St. John's First Baptist Church Family for the use of their facilities and the help of the Homaging Services.

For fear of overlooking you in sending personal appreciation cards of gratitude we say to everyone, THANK YOU. We feel that we shall never be able to convey our thanks to you; nor shall we forget any single act, deed, or expression of condolence rendered. Please continue to remember us in your prayers. We pray God's richest blessings upon you.

Knowing Daddy as I know him, he would say to us as children and to the rest of the world: In God's own time, at his own choosing, and His own way, HE decided that my work as a father, Pastor and Assistant Presiding Elder was over, and it was time for me to come home.

The way, time, place, decision and circumstances was not yours to make. It was God's choice. And although you mourn and groan, the emptiness in your hearts may remain. Take faith and try to realize, that your loss has been your mother's and heaven's gain.

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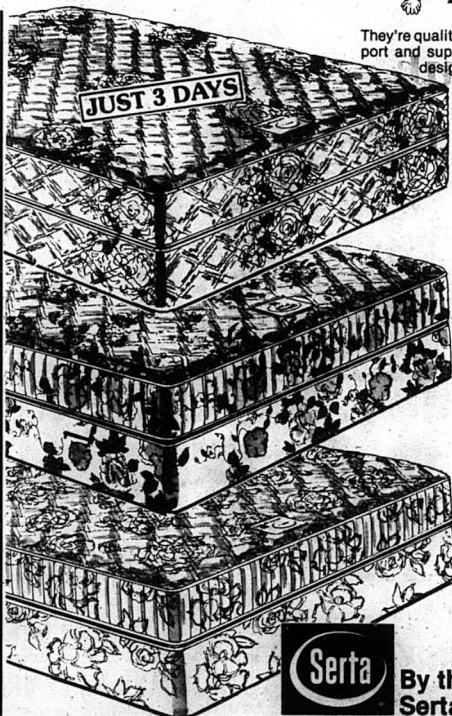
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Pahokee Chamber in the black, planning for future

By PAUL EVANS

PAHOKEE—Chamber of Commerce President James Bennett says that the Chamber is no longer suffering from the financial problems it was experiencing in October of this year. Bennett says that at the beginning of the Chamber's fiscal year on Oct. 1, there was only \$1,563.73 in its bank account, and there appeared to be no way for the Chamber to continue operating.

The Chamber's finance committee had determined that at least \$8,360 was needed for the Chamber to operate for another year, and although the city had agreed to pay the salary for a part-time secretary, there would be no city funds projected for the 1985 budget.

But by the end of November, the Chamber had managed to collect yearly dues from 58 percent of the more than 90 Chamber members, and is currently in the process of organizing a one day membership blitz, scheduled for Dec. 18 in an attempt to attract more members.

By the beginning of December, the Chamber's bank balance had risen to \$6,598.06, from membership dues and fund raising events such as a quickly organized election barbecue which raised \$882.08.

Bennett says that this has been an indication that the business and the consumer communities still want a Chamber of Commerce to continue in the Pahokee area.

The primary project the Chamber has planned for 1985 is an attempt to raise \$10,000 in conjunction with \$3,000 already collected for a 1985 Christmas display in the downtown area.

This year there is no display because the

displays used in previous years were destroyed by large trucks driving through the downtown area.

Another of the activities the Chamber has planned for the year is the "Shop At Home" campaign, already in progress. This Christmas, 28 merchants are participating in the program.

As part of the campaign, customers can register to win cash prizes at any one of four drawings.

The first three drawings netted cash prizes of \$25, \$50 and \$75 respectively to customers who had entered the contest.

The final drawing will be for \$100. Money for the drawings was donated by the Chamber and participating merchants.

In January, the Chamber will launch a monthly newsletter as both a profit making venture and an avenue for providing information on the Pahokee area to any interested parties.

The newsletter will sell advertising space to local merchants and businessmen and will be sent to Chamber members, merchants in the community and anyone who writes or calls seeking information.

Some of the non-profit making ventures the Chamber sponsors include the Freedom Festival, which was instituted five years ago, and the Annual Chamber dinner, held on Jan. 18.

The purpose of the dinner is to recognize what the Chamber members consider to be outstanding achievements, such as the Citizen of the Year, Distinguished Service Awards, Volunteer of the Year, Business of the Year

and, the winner of the Christmas Decoration contest.

In other activities, the Chamber elected new directors during the month of November, to serve two and three year terms. Lucy Baines of Baines Superette was elected to a three year term and was also elected as the Chamber's new treasurer.

Lynch Most, an employee at Hendrix Hardware, was also elected to a three year term, as was Mike Poza of Milton-Carpenter Insurance.

Lee Cranford, a bank manager at Florida Federal Savings and Loan Association, was elected to serve out a two year unexpired term.

That election also returned Bennett to his post for another term and Ray Santerfeit of the Glades Trend to the post of Vice-President.

"There are those who would venture to say Pahokee is beginning to dry up, and that the next big wind will blow it away," Bennett said.

"But to those people, I would suggest a driving tour of this area to see what's going on."

Bennett points to the fact that a new health center has been built in conjunction with a new apartment complex, a new addition to the hospital, and site work has begun on the new

Pahokee high school. Bennett also notes that a number of businesses like Pahokee Ford and the Food Mart have expanded, and some enterprises like the Bank of Pahokee are in the process of renovating.

New businesses are also springing up in the area, Bennett said. There is a new tire center, bakery, antique reproduction furniture center, a new jewelry store, and a Dixie Fried Chicken restaurant.

"I have been in Pahokee for 15 months and I see an excitement among its citizens," Bennett says. "I see a great future for its business and its people."

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The Florida Federation of Women's Clubs, Belle Glade Junior Woman's Club, is sponsoring their annual "Lunch with Santa".

Santa will arrive via a Belle Glade fire truck around 11:15 a.m.

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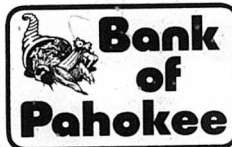
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Sports

Glades Day Gators lose title to Baker

By ELKE SCHWARZ

BAKER — The Baker Gators defeated the Glades Day Gators 48-7 for the 1A State Championship title at Baker High School Saturday, Dec. 8.

This was the fourth time in five years the teams have played each other for the state title.

The Glades Day Gators left Belle Glade on Thursday, Dec. 6, spending the night in Gainesville where they practiced on the Florida University field the next day.

The coaches and team arrived in Baker on Saturday, spending their remaining time in team meetings and on the field at Baker High School. The game started at 8 p.m. on Saturday, 30 minutes later than scheduled, due to the tardiness of the fan bus.

No matter how hard they tried, Glades Day just couldn't gain any yardage.

"Our defense was just dominated by their offense," said Glades Day coach Byron Walker. Baker's leading rusher Mitch Thomas ran 26 yards to score the first touchdown with 6:52 left in the first quarter.

In the first two minutes of the second quarter Baker scored again. Baker's number two man, Brian Wagoner, ran 46 yards with the ball before being brought down on Glades Day's 6 yard line.

Thomas then darted down the Baker sideline

for a six yard touchdown.

Glades Day retaliated when wide receiver Derek Korbly caught a pass thrown by quarterback John Hundley at Baker's 12 yard line and ran for a touchdown, changing the score 12-7.

An unexpected fumble by Glades Day Gators put the ball back in Baker's hands, resulting in a 20-7 score at half-time.

With 8:31 left in the third quarter, Thomas ran 32 yards, making the score 27-7.

Glades Day tried valiantly to stop Brian Wagoner from making the next two touchdowns for Baker, but failed.

With 49 seconds left in the fourth quarter, running back Scotty Thomas scored the last touchdown for Baker, making the end score 48-7. Baker coach John Ensor had no idea Baker would have this much of an edge over Glades Day.

"I thought the teams were evenly matched weight-wise," said Ensor. "Both teams were under a lot of pressure. In this kind of position, one of the two teams can go against each other in a blow-out situation, and that's what happened here."

Glades Day finishes 8-3 in the season, Baker 13-0.

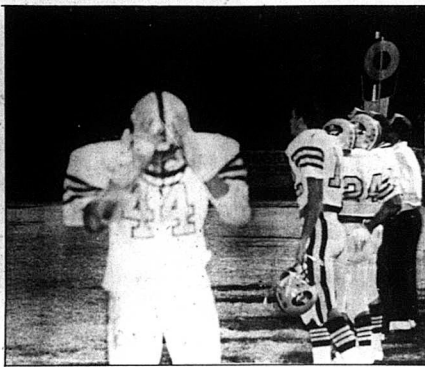
Photos by Elke Schwarz



GLOOM settled over Coach Byron Walker and Gator fans at Saturday's football game.



GLADES DAY cheerleaders watch hopes for a state football championship slip away.



GATOR RUNNING BACK Scotty Thomas makes no secret of his feelings.



Glades Day School basketball season previewed

By ELKE SCHWARZ

BELLE GLADE—Last year, the Glades Day girls basketball team had a 7-2 record, ending the season as runners-up, losing to Kings Academy in the district 1A division.

This year the entire team is back, chalking up height and experience as its major strengths.

Jan McCarthy is coaching the girls basketball team for the

second year.

"I'm very optimistic," McCarthy said. "We have a tough season, playing competitive teams."

Nine players comprise the basketball team making this the major weakness of the team.

"There just isn't that much depth this year," said McCarthy.

Last year the girls team averaged between 30-35 points per game.

Top scorers are senior Janey Wills, forward, and senior Michelle Marotta, center.

Major competitors are Kings Academy, Moore Haven, and Evangelical.

Glades Day boys varsity coach Byron Walker says even though the team is off to a slow start (due to football), they are looking forward to the challenges this season is presenting.

Tough competition this year will come from Moore Haven and Kings Academy.

"We have a returning team with outstanding outside shooting ability and height," said Walker, listing the team's strengths. "A lot of our players are over six feet."

Last year the team had a 12-1 record in the district 11 1A division.

Jack Curtis is coaching the Glades Day junior varsity this season. Although Curtis has coached junior varsity for 16 years, this is his first year with Glades Day.

The junior varsity

consists of boys from eighth through tenth grade.

"We're basically going to be working on the fundamentals such as passing and shooting well," said Curtis. "We're trying for a tough defensive team this year."

Curtis considers Moore Haven, Immokalee, and Kings Academy as the heaviest competition this season.

The junior varsity started their season by playing Christian Day on Tuesday, Dec. 11.

The girls season starts Jan. 4, when they face Kings Academy.

The boys varsity will play in a two-day home tournament facing Benjamin, Christian Day and Evangelical on Friday, Dec. 14.



Ducks Unlimited raises \$15,000

BELLE GLADE—Ducks Unlimited held their annual fundraiser Thursday, Dec. 6, at the Elks Lodge in Belle Glade.

Over \$15,000 was raised, a 100 percent increase over last year's sum.

Raffles were held and also donated merchandise was auctioned. Paintings by local artist Ann Tyler brought in the most money. Her Royal painting sold for \$2,900.

Approximately 220

people were in attendance. This was Ducks Unlimited's fifth annual banquet. The banquet is held every year on the first Thursday in December.

The proceeds go to buying and maintaining water fowls nesting habitats in the Northern United States and Canada.

Ducks Unlimited member Ricky Lyman wishes to thank local merchants for their donations.

Branyon named all conference

Bart Branyon, Belle Glade, Florida, was one of seven members of the Ottawa University Football team who were selected by the Kansas Collegiate Athletic Conference as members of the 1984 conference teams.

Branyon, a 265 pound offensive tackle, excelled for the Braves this season and earned his spot on the conference's Honorable Mention team. He is a senior this year and will be tough to replace in 1985.

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Raiders beat Jupiter, upset PB Gardens

Glades Central serves notice

By BILL DOUGHTY

The Glades Central Raiders formally announced last night that they will be a major force to be reckoned with in the world of high school basketball.

After cruising to an easy 79-54 win over Jupiter Friday, Dec. 7, the Raiders came back with their biggest win of the young season Tuesday, Dec. 11, upsetting defending state Class AAAA champion Palm Beach Gardens 57-52 in overtime.

After the Jupiter game, first year Raider Coach Jim Kanable said his team was not mentally prepared for the Warriors and that had him worried going into the game with Palm Beach.

"The team that's better prepared mentally Tuesday night will win. Ability-wise we're pretty even."

Kennedy McDonald exemplified just how mentally prepared Glades Central was. Despite suffering a sprained ankle in a pickup game Sunday, McDonald led the way in overtime, scoring five of the Raiders' eight points.

McDonald, a 6-foot-3 senior forward, scored only four points in regulation. But he took the tipoff in overtime from teammate Jimmy Humphries and drove for a layup to put last year's state Class AAAA semifinals ahead 51-49. The Raiders never trailed again.

"We did a lot of growing up tonight," said Kanable. "The guys showed they could come back under pressure."

Glades trailed by 10 in the third quarter, 35-25, but reeled off 11 straight points, including six by Humphries, to take the lead 36-35.

The lead would change hands five times until



GLADES CENTRAL RAIDERS are off and running in their 1984-85 season with a record of 3-1 so far. Row 1 (l.): Jim Johnson, Scott Jones, Kenny McDonald, David Givens, Darrell Sanders, Jeffery Byrd. Row 2: John Ivery, Tony Benjamin, Anthony Robinson, Jimmy Humphries, Billy Wade, Coach Jim Kanable.

the Gators' Pat McAurthur scored inside off a missed foul shot to tie it at 49 with 1:06. The Raiders ran the clock down, but David Givens' last second shot spun out.

The Gators, outscored in the extra frame 8-3, suffered the effects of a cold shooting second half.

"Once they went to a man-to-man defense, we didn't get the ball inside for some reason," said Gardens Coach Duffy Westmoreland. "They've got a good ballclub. They're a whole lot bigger than us and we had trouble with them. Most of their shots were from inside."

It did not matter where the Raiders shot from against Jupiter. Although the Warriors gave it their best shot, they were totally dominated by the physically superior Glades Central team.

"What can I say," said Warrior Coach Fred Rose, "they're a better team. I thought we could have had a better effort. Some people didn't do their jobs. We didn't get the second and third effort it takes to beat a team like Glades."

The Raiders led by as much as 44-19 in the second half before Kanable cleared the bench.

McDonald led the way against the Warriors, with a game high 19 points, Humphries had 16 and Anthony Robinson 14.

The Raiders record now stands at 3-1, with the only loss a 67-52 defeat at the hands of defending Class AA champion Suncoast in their opening game.

Glades Central will next see action Friday night, Dec. 14 against Spanish River away. The Sharks record fell to 1-3 with a 62-37 loss to Cardinal Newman Tuesday night.

Then Saturday, Dec. 15, the Raiders return home to host the Pahokee Blue Devils. Pahokee is 2-3, losing 70-59 to Suncoast in their last outing.

GLADES CENTRAL (57)
Benjamin 11, Johnson 4, Givens 14, McDonald 9, Robinson 6, Humphries 13

PALM BEACH GARDENS (52)
Wright 13, McCree 6, Walker 9, Sanders 11, Mathis 8, McCluskey 3

Holtzman-Palm Beach Gardens 28, Glades Central 21. Regulation-Glades Central 49, Palm Beach Gardens 49.
Fouled out-McDonald (5). Technical-Glades Coach Jim Kanable.

GLADES CENTRAL (79)
Johnson 7, Robinson 14, Humphries 16, Givens 8, Byrd 8, McDonald 19, Sanders 5

JUPITER (34)
Collins 5, Brent 6, Rosenkrantz 2, Clarke 2, Minich 8, McGee 18, Luke 13.
Holtzman Glades Central 34, Jupiter 17.

Crusaders fall to Evangel

BELLE GLADE-Christian Day Schools junior varsity, girls, and varsity, all lost to their opposing Evangelical counterparts in their first game of the season Friday, Dec. 7.

The Crusaders junior varsity lost to the Sentinels 54-34. Leading scorers for the Crusaders were Jose Pozo with 9 points and Jermaine Henderson with 12 points. Jackson was fouled extensively during the game.

The JV Sentinels had an edge over the JV Crusaders by being taller, therefore having more blocking control. The Sentinels also had success with intercepting the ball from the Crusaders a number of times.

The Lady Crusaders played a hard game, but lost by a narrow margin 47-40.

There were a lot of jump balls, mostly during the second half of the game.

The Lady Crusaders made a good comeback in the fourth period of the game by scoring a total of 16 points.

Stacey Bohannon was the lead scorer for the Crusaders with 14 points. Angie Miller had a number of steals during the game.

The Crusaders varsity had a major problem with Sentinel called Kevin Hart. Hart stole the

ball from the Crusaders a number of times and was the game's leading scorer with 18 points.

Lead scorer for the Crusaders was Jose Ramos with 10 points.

The final score for the varsity was Sentinels 53, Crusaders 27.

Student gets merit commendation

BELLE GLADE Christian Day School was recently notified that Angela K. Phillips, a senior at Christian Day, has been designated a Commended Student in the 1985 Merit Program.

Phillips is the daughter of John and Karen Phillips of Belle Glade. The announcement was made by Christian Day School Principal Gloria King.

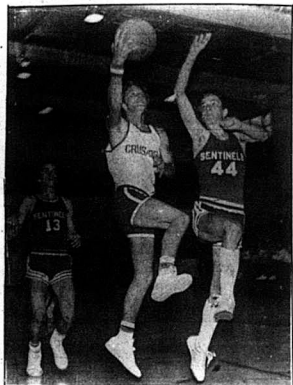
Phillips placed in the top five percent of over one million participants in the 30th annual competition. She will receive a Letter of Commendation in honor of outstanding promise for future academic success.

Phillips is a member of the Crusader Choir at Christian Day School. She was recently named to Who's Who in Music and is a member of the National Honor Society.

She is a Crusader cheerleader at Christian Day, a member of the student council, the Key Club, the annual staff, and president of the senior class.



ANGELA PHILLIPS



Crusader center Peter Rawls tries for two points.

Easing of utility restrictions sought

By PAUL EVANS

PAHOKEE - Director of Public Utilities Ed Balmer says that the city sewage plant is operating without a permit and that at one point the Department of Environmental Regulations (DER) could have fined the city up to \$5,000 a day for failing to comply with DER standards.

The city has not been required to pay any fines, something Balmer attributes in large part to the help he received from Barbara Mitchell from the Center for Training, Research and Educational Occupations (TREEO) at the University of Florida.

Mitchell helped the sewage plant get into compliance with the DER standards. The only area not meeting those standards is the level of nitrates and phosphorus left in the treated sewage.

DER standards allow no more than .06 parts per mill in treated sewage. Anything above that is considered contamination.

Balmer says that figure is unrealistic and that Pahokee's sewage plant was not designed to handle that high a degree of treatment.

Representatives from DER and other regulatory agencies have been to Pahokee and have surveyed the situation.

After working with those representatives, Balmer thinks that the DER will relent and allow a higher rate of nitrates and phosphorus.

Balmer has been working with sewage problems since he came to work in Pahokee.

"At the time I took over this plant," Balmer says, "everything that could go wrong, was wrong. We've managed to straighten everything out."

Part of that straightening out process includes the necessity of building a new lift station.

A lift station is a pump that lifts sewage up to the main sewage facilities.

The city has a number of small lift stations and some larger ones. These facilities are critical in taking raw sewage from residences to the sewage treatment plant.

The city is also in the process of buying a high pressure pump and truck. The pump clears debris out of sewage lines so that a special camera can be run through them to determine the condition of the existing sewer lines.

At present, the city commission is looking into ways to finance the new lift station. They are presently looking at the idea of county or state financing. The pump will be financed through the city's budget.

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Jeff Hansford wins Bass Hawk Tournament

Compliments of Tennessee's Pro Guide Service. Congratulations goes to Jeff Hansford of Belle Glade for taking first place in the Bass Hawk Tournament out of Anglers' Marina in Clewiston. Last weekend. This was Jeff's first time winning an individual tournament. According to Jeff, he found all of his fish on South Shore and around Ritta Island. During the very early part of the mornings he caught fish on a

grape shad worm, but after the sun got high he used red shad worms. Jeff's only comment was "I'd never believe you could win a two day tournament with 17 pounds of bass". Being one of our local dedicated fishermen, when Jeff's not working he can always be found fishing for fun or fishing tournaments put on by the Bass club. The Lake Okeechobee Tackle Testers. In other local fishing

news, from J-Mark Fish Camp, Johnny Jones of Ft. Lauderdale brought in 20 nice fish. He caught on crawdad worms fishing off the culverts in the cornfield around Kramer Island.



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Dr. Morehouse of West Palm Beach with guide Gary Raber of Wellington was real proud of his 11 pound 14 oz bass caught on wild shiners. Roy Howell came in with a 6 1/2 pounder he caught on wild shiners in Wiing's Cove. Late Sunday afternoon Col. Myers, from the marina camp grounds brought in ten real nice fish.

According to what I've heard, there haven't been many specks caught this past week. Guess our topsy-turvy weather has them a little confused. This Sunday, December 16th will see Slims first Bassin Classic Tournament of 1985. It is a points and buddy tournament and entry fee is \$40.00 and boat fee. For more information contact Slims Fish Camp at 996-3844. I'm sure everyone has finished their Christmas shopping by now, but if you haven't and you just can't think of a real special gift for that special person, why not give them a professional fishing guide trip. For more information contact me at J-Mart Fish Camp by calling 996-3357.

Thompson

Faced with a year of nothing to do while waiting for the next year's coaching season to start, Thompson, in talking to some other coaches about weight training, was offered a job by one of the coaches, to build a weight training facility.

What began as a temporary measure to feed his family, soon became a full time business, and Thompson had to limit his coaching endeavors to his two sons' Little League practice.

Building weight training facilities took Thompson to Miami, Atlanta, Memphis, and Oklahoma City. The business occupied his life for 12 or 13 years, before a family tragedy made him reevaluate his life and his values.

In 1979, Thompson and his family were living in Texas, on a ranch with a five acre horse farm, a swimming pool and a beautiful house. He was a national sales manager for a large company. He was also on the road a lot, traveling across the country and in foreign countries.

On Dec. 5, Jesse Caleb, the third son of the Thompsons had been praying for was born. And then on Dec. 28 after spending Christmas together, Jesse Caleb died of the infant crib death syndrome.

It was a frantic, terrifying time for the family, Thompson says, but after a day or so of deep spiritual thought, and comforting from close family friends, the family managed to see some good in what was done.

"I'd have lost my sanity if I didn't know where he was," Thompson says, "I get a great feeling knowing he's with God and that I'll be with him when my time comes. He's raising Jesse for me."

It was at this point Thompson says, that he really started to take a hard look at his life, all the traveling he was doing and the time he wasn't spending with his wife and children.

Thompson gave up his job and moved the family to Bainbridge, Ga., where he hoped to take a job coaching.

But that job never materialized and Thompson resumed his weight training facility building.

On one of his trips to South Florida, he stopped to visit some friends in Pahokee. Coach McIlwin, a Pahokee High School coach, asked Thompson why he wasn't coaching. Thompson told him that if he went back to coaching, he would want it to be in Pahokee. When the next job opening occurred, Thompson says, Pahokee called him.

"Our budget back then was five times what it is now," Thompson says, "I owned several houses and a business. I had to sell everything in a month and close the business. I sold everything, satisfied my creditors and moved in here a free man."

"The Lord answered my prayers," Thompson says, "it's really precious here and I am really enjoying it."

"It's good for a man's prayers to come true. And for his peers to think he's good is almost too much to ask for."

Thompson sees football as more than just a sport. It teaches the player dedication, he

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says, it reaches into a person spiritually, and it creates intensity.

Thompson tries to see that dedication, spirit and intensity spill over into the player's daily life.

He also sees the sport as something without barriers, something that opens doors and offers opportunity to the individual. An opportunity to get a better education and build a better life.

"I could spend the rest of my life here individually with these kids and never be finished," Thompson says, "I'm just getting started."

"Outside of my family and my Lord," he adds, "this is the most important thing for me."

During weekdays, Thompson is at school from 6 a.m. to about 9 p.m.

In his spare time, he plays tennis, and coaches it when the season starts. He's also an avid boater. Before moving away from Pahokee, Thompson had a 22 foot sloop, which he sold when he left. He looks forward to the opportunity of owning another boat soon.

"I believe the Lord is gonna bless me soon with a sailboat," he says, "possibly this summer."

Right now, the 43 year old coach just looks forward to working with more kids. Two of them are his own sons. He's hoping to see his eldest son Pell, a linebacker named after the coach who was Thompson's mentor, off to college on an athletic scholarship at either the University of Miami or the University of Florida.

His younger son, Blaze, is a 9th grade tackle with the junior varsity team.

At this point, Thompson is satisfied with his life, but there are still things he wants to accomplish. He'd like to establish little league football and a football program for the junior high school.

He also entertains the possibility of establishing a professional football team in the Glades area for those not fortunate enough to go away to college and play.

And there is another goal. Thompson would like to make it to the state championship, and win.

"Hey coach, what are you now, the coach of the year?" a varsity player asks.

"Yeah," Thompson answers, "Isn't that something?"

Here are the names of the players who made all conference

All conference 1st team	All conference 2nd team
Donald Edwards	Darrel Brown
Kenny Berry	Clarence Bess
Pernelle McKelton	Hosie Smith
Tyrone Holmes	Marion Sherrod
Hosie Smith	Carl Bess
Tyrone Campbell	Pell Thompson
Venson Jones	

Panama Jack donates to fund

Jack Katz, the developer of 'Panama Jack' suntan lotion and the 'Panama Jack' t-shirt, has donated a substantial sum of money to the Pahokee High School athletics program.

Katz was a student at the Glades when Pahokee coach Don Thompson attended the institution. The two were roommates together until Thompson transferred to the University of Arkansas and Katz transferred to the University of Florida.

Over the years, the two ex-college players have remained friends, and when 'Panama Jack' products prospered, Katz decided to help his friend out, and did so by making an endowment to the athletic department. This contribution makes Katz a member of the Athletic department's Royal Blue Club.

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Surplus food distribution points announced

Cheese, flour and other government surplus food items are distributed at no cost to needy families in the Belle Glade, Pahokee and South Bay areas.

The Lord's Place in West Palm Beach has been designated as the official distributors of the government surplus commodities, according to Administrator Jim Peterman.

"We are aware that the Glades is a top priority need (for food distribution)," said

Peterman. "So we are giving a top priority effort for this area."

Peterman said the Lord's Place is trying to establish a five-person committee for each of the townships of Belle Glade, Pahokee and South Bay.

So far, according to Peterman, he has commissioned Gladys Ganzy with the City of Belle Glade to the committee as well as Dr. Effie Greer, principal for Glades Central Community High School, Linda Evans

with the Community Action Council in South Bay and Pastor Nick Kischneck with St. Peter's Lutheran School.

Peterman said the committee will be responsible for coordinating the distribution and getting volunteers for the actual food distribution.

"I don't think the program will be a success until we give every eligible person a chance to participate," Peterman said. He added that he hopes no one

will let pride stand in the way of registering for the government surplus food, if they are needy.

"We don't want to see anyone go hungry," Peterman said.

The distribution will be done every month and Peterman said they are going to try to be consistent and have it the first Monday of every month.

This month's distribution will be Monday, Dec. 17 at the Community United Methodist Church on

South Main Street, Belle Glade from 3:30 p.m. and 6 p.m.

The Pahokee distribution day will be Wednesday, Dec. 19, at the Community Action Council Building, 901 Padgett Island Road between 3:30 p.m. and 6 p.m.

The South Bay distribution will be Tuesday, Dec. 18 at the Community Action Council, 525 Palm Beach Road from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

If you are not registered, you may do

so at the distribution site in Belle Glade from 3 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. and at the site in Pahokee the same day as their distribution, between 3:30 p.m. and 6 p.m.

In South Bay to register you can do so at the Community Action Council daily Monday through Friday between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Surplus food commodities are distributed to eligible area residents only. Any household whose

income meets government standards or who can prove eligibility for food stamps, Aid to Families with Dependent Children, Medicaid or Supplemental Security Income is eligible to receive the USDA foods.

The government standards for self declaration of need are as follows: For a household of one, monthly income scale cannot exceed \$540; for a family of two, \$728; a family of three, \$917; a family of four, \$1,105

and a family of five, \$1,294.

For each additional family member add \$189.

Any household that takes more government surplus food than they are entitled to receive will be dropped from the program permanently. A household will be penalized for going to more than one distribution site monthly or through falsification obtaining more than one identification card.

2 LaBelle men die in crash

Two LaBelle men were killed late Saturday night, Dec. 8, when their car collided head-on with a tractor-trailer on S.R. 25, approximately seven miles south of South Bay.

A 1981 Chevrolet driven by Jack Harold White, 20, of Box 1414 in LaBelle, crossed the center line on 25, colliding head-on with a 1980 GMC tractor trailer at about 11:20 p.m.

White and a passenger in his car, 20-year-old

Rodney Earl Williams of "A" Road in LaBelle, were declared dead at the scene.

Florida Highway Patrol officers are not sure why the car drifted across the center line on the dry, clear night, but they believe the accident was alcohol-related.

No charges have been filed against the truck driver, Leonard Ritks, 35, of 3058 Eldorado Drive in Pahokee.

Carrying concealed weapon charged

BELLE GLADE--Responding to a call that a man was waving a weapon around at 56 W. Avenue A, Police arrested Raymundo Carrasco for carrying a concealed weapon.

Donna Mathus called police and told them

that Carrasco had been waving the gun around in her presence.

An officer arrived on the scene and noticed a large bulge in Carrasco's right pocket and a

smaller but noticeable bulge in his left pocket.

After doing a pat down search of Carrasco, police found a container of salt and a bottle of tabasco sauce in

his left pocket and a 25 caliber Titan automatic pistol in his right pocket.

Carrasco was arrested and bonded was set at \$1,000.

Man dies in front end loader accident

BELLE GLADE--A man was killed by a front end loader at the Osceola Sugar Mill on Monday, Dec. 10.

According to Detective Steve Landrum, Carlos Gonzales, 51, was inspecting a verticle conveyor system when a front end loader, driven by

Holando Mendez, 48, backed around the corner of the conveyor system and ran over him.

Gonzales died instantly.

Landrum said the noise at the sugar mill was probably so loud that Gonzales could not be heard and that

Mendez was not able to see Gonzales from where he was sitting on the loader.

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Glades Central hosts spelling bee, Jupiter takes 1st

By PAULEVANS

BELLE GLADE—Glades Central held its fourth annual Invitational Spelling Tournament on Thursday, Dec. 6, with Jupiter High School girls walking away with first and second place prizes.

Overall winner, senior Kendra Morrell won by spelling, "M-a-r-k-k-a," a unit of Finnish currency. That was also the word that took junior, Kim Darby out of the race for the overall winner.

Darby and Morrell appeared calm and confident throughout the four rounds of tournament, although Morrell admitted to being nervous during the first round.

"I was petrified during the first round," Morrell said. "I didn't think I'd win, I was ab-

solutely shocked."

The first three rounds were held separately in groups divided by the student's grade in school. After that, five semi-finalists were picked from each group to play in the final round.

The finalists lined up and one by one were asked to spell words like: rotogravure, summary, pharisaical and curmudgeon.

Morrell said that there were some words that she definitely would have missed if she had to spell them instead of someone else.

"There were some real tricky words," Morrell says. "Some of the spellings were just a matter of one or two letters."

At last year's contest, Jupiter took the overall prize and a Jupiter student took second

place in the contest. Morrell didn't enter the contest because she didn't know about it.

After hearing about the tournament, she was determined that she would be in this year's contest. To prepare for the contest, students are given a list of 1500 to 2000 words that might be used. Morrell said that she looked at the book, but that she didn't really prepare for it until a day or two before the tournament began.

To prepare for the state tournament, Morrell plans to do a lot more studying.

"I can't even pronounce most of the words on the list."

The tournament may help to prepare the 17 year old for entrance into college, but not for the subject she wants to study. Morrell hopes to get into the University of Virginia, probably as an engineering student with a possible minor in business.

The idea for the tournaments was started by Sarah Bennett, a Glades Central English, speech and drama teacher.

"I started this as a class tournament," Bennett says. "I challenged some of my classes, then the classes challenged each other, then the whole school, then Pahokee, the county and finally South Florida and the state."

As the tournament materialized, Bennett was joined by her friend and colleague Sonja Lutz, an English and French teacher at Glades Central.

Children's ward—

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Santa Claus and three years ago he set out to do just that.

He purchased the entire Santa Claus attire and just started walking up and down the streets of Palm Beach, going in stores and spreading Christmas cheer.

Sue Carlson, pediatric charge nurse at Glades General Hospital, says it's hard to say how many children will be admitted during the holidays.

"The doctors try to discharge as many children as they can before Christmas," Carlson said.

So the children being kept in the hospital during the holidays will not be forgotten. Special people find it in their hearts to make the children's Christmas a happy one.



A SCENE from the spelling bee.

Every summer they devote whatever time it takes to come up with the 1500-2000 words that are used for the next contest.

"To be in the contest, students need only spell the words correctly, they don't need to know the meaning of the words, although it helps."

As the tournament progresses, five semi-finalists are chosen from every group. The top two students from every grade are sent to the state tournament in Tallahassee on March 7, and the winner of that contest received a \$1,000 prize.

As winner of this year's county-wide tournament, Morrell won a \$100 certificate. As second place winner, Darby won a \$50 prize. The two semi-finalists from each grade include:

Ninth grade - Candace Dickens of Twin Lakes and Edna Henderson of Glades Central.

Tenth grade - Catherine O'Hanlon of Jupiter and Jeff Schechter of Santaluces.

Eleventh grade - Kim Darby of Jupiter and Mary LaBrec of Santaluces.

Twelfth grade - Kendra Morrell of Jupiter and Theresa Fisk of Santaluces.

Escape—

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Grooms is described as a thin black male, 5'7 feet tall and 129

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Chief Charlie

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"I didn't agree with all of it," Goodlett said. "People were left to draw their own conclusions."

During the 32 years Goodlett served as chief of police, he has seen good times and bad times.

"I always said if there was anything in the world, Belle Glade had at least one of them," he said. "In the '60s, Belle Glade also had their share of racial riots, just like anywhere else in the country. There were a lot of 'Molotov Cocktails' (homemade fire bombs) thrown."

Goodlett also remembers an embarrassing moment in his police career.

The year was 1952 and he was driving a city automobile, a Buick, when he started having battery trouble.

There were crews painting lines on the street and the sidewalk was being laid at Glades Central High School.

"I'm a hard left onto West Canal and drove about 100 yards so I could get to a filling station," he said. "I left the car on the side of the road with the motor running and walked up to the station."

Goodlett said he then heard someone yell at him. He then turned and saw his car rolling into the canal.

"I had left my windows up so of course, the car floated long enough for everyone in town to see it," Goodlett said. "At my retirement party I was called Admiral Goodlett."

It wasn't a major change for Goodlett when he was elected city commissioner in 1980.

"After 32 years in the police department, I felt I had something to offer to the community," he said. "The biggest thing in public life is to have the support of the people."

Some of the major projects Goodlett has accomplished while serving the public have been building the jail on West Ave. A, "with prison labor and one paid employee," the building of the 2nd Street bridge on West Canal and 2nd Street, and rebuilding the old section of the Belle Glade Municipal Marina.

People donated their farm equipment to help rebuild the marina.

Goodlett says the marina is one of the nicest campgrounds in the country.

Goodlett likes the progress Belle Glade has made, but still remembers the earlier times.

"I'd trade Belle Glade for what it used to be," he said. "Of course, back in the '30s with the depression and all, it was a fight for survival. Belle Glade was the easiest place in the country to get a job."

In his spare time, Goodlett likes to garden and travel. He does visit relatives in Birmingham, but never considers moving back to his home state.

"I like Florida," he said. "Belle Glade has been good to me."

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LORIN LOTT, PASTOR
Sunday School-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-8 p.m.
Prayer Counsel-noon daily
Tuesday-8 p.m. Bible Study
Friday-8 p.m. Praise
Saturday-11 Sabbath School

periences for members of the school, establish student voice in appropriate procedures and practices within the building, to bring that student voice into full participation within administrative decisions, to develop attitudes toward good citizenship, leadership, scholarship, human values and services to assist school Management, to provide a training ground for developing student leadership and to promote positive human relationships within the school.

The students are planning projects to help the students, the school and the community.

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exercise.
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BRANCH OUTLET: 314 E. Sugarland Hwy.
813/963-8119 in Baker's Retail Drugs
Clearwater, FL

Miss. For Sale
 HAY FOR SALE, 813-948-0889.
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NATIONAL STEEL BUILDING
 Metal wall all steel buildings for material cost. We have 30', 40', 50', 60' wide clear span buildings and some add on's. We must sell immediately. Buy now for the guaranteed lowest prices of the year. Call 24 hrs. a day 1-800-833-2246 extension 45.
 12/12/12
PORTABLE REDWOOD SPA with installed cover like new - 813-983-7084.
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DARK ARBONNE elm desk, 3' x 6'4" top, 20" drawers, 2 for files, riding mower, deer-hoofed horse, 8-track player, rabbits and hatches. 813-984-0568.
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 3/4 TON A/C, thermostat, ducts, complete. \$400-996-9642.
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SEARS welded bench with tool box, \$35; set of weights, 110 lbs., \$15; car radio, \$12.50; airless paint spray gun, \$25. Call after 6 p.m. 813-983-7435.
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LARGE CHEST tyne dresser \$235. King size bed with headboard \$185. 1984 Ford pickup, 2 door hardtop, engine trans, & body good. Ready to restore. \$450.00. 813-996-4562 after 3 p.m. or weekends.
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TRACTOR 50 Ford, Excellent condition. \$2,000. Murray Equipment Co. Hwy. 80, 813-675-4550.
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1980 PONTIAC, Grand Conquest, 1700 wagon, good condition, run good. AT150. New hardtop. Gun cabinet. 813-975-0421.
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Realty For Rent
 SKI IN NORTH CAROLINA. 2 bed 2 bathroom close villa at Sugar Mountain with superb skiing, television, pool, hot tub and more. Call 305-747-5454.
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COLORADO SKI VACATION
 Deluxe 2 bedroom ski on ski slope. Ski in, ski out. Magnificent view, pool, sauna, jacuzzi, restaurant. Unforgettable Snowmass's best. Call 305-747-5454.
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 Beautiful new 4 bedroom townhouse in Snowmass. Rent week or month. Sauna, whirlpool, superb furnishings. Right at base of chairlift. Call 305-747-5454.
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 STORE/Office for rent with efficiency apartment. 813-675-2852.
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TRAILERS and homes with kitchenettes, reasonable. Lazy T Ranch. 813-675-1614.
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COZY 2-BR., 1 bath house, Central heat, Oak trees on 1/4 acre. \$225/month. 813-694-4443.
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 LARGE A/C STORE and/or warehouse. 909-2762, 996-5395, or 1-747-5194.
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Realty For Sale
 LEHIGH ACRES, building lots, 1/4-1/2 acre. \$1500. up. \$50. down. Details 813 269-8171 or 813 334-6661.
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 LOG HOMES. Over 40 rustic models to choose from. Free FREE BROCHURE. HONEST ABE LOG HOMES. Route 01, 846 Moss, Tennessee 38575. (615) 258-3648.
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4 eggs
½ cup cold water
½ cup Wesson® oil
½ cup Bacardi dark rum (80 proof)
Preheat oven to 325°F. Grease and flour 10" tube or 12-cup bundt* pan. Sprinkle nuts over bottom of pan. Mix oil cake ingredients together. Pour batter over nuts. Bake 1 hour. Cool. Invert on serving plate. Pick top. Sprinkle and brush glaze evenly over top and sides. Allow cake to absorb glaze. Repeat till glaze is used up. Frosting or whipped cream.
Glaze:
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